



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

**James S. Fields, Jr. and
Sanjeev Ghai**

Serial No. **09/740,220**

Filed: **December 19, 2000**

For: **DATA PROCESSING SYSTEM AND
METHOD OF COMMUNICATION THAT
EMPLOY A REQUEST-AND-FORGET
PROTOCOL**

§ Attorney Docket No. **AUS920000681US1**

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Examiner: **Unknown**

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response in the above-identified application. Applicants respectfully request a two-month extension of time and enclose the appropriate non-small-entity fee pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(a)(2) of \$390.00.

Respectfully submitted,

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